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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2005 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)	Docket Number 481062.409
Application Number 10/680,536	Filed October 7, 2003
For METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ON-DEMAND STENCIL CHEMICAL ETCH DIRECT PARTS MARKING AUTOMATION AND CARRIER FOR CHEMICAL ETCH STENCIL MESH	
Art Unit 1763	Examiner Sylvia MacArthur

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

	Fee	Small Entity Fee	
☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	$120	$60	$_____
☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	$450	$225	$_____
☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	$1020	$510	$1020
☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	$1590	$795	$_____
☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	$2160	$1080	$_____

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ A check which includes the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 19-1090. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).

☐ attorney or agent of record. Registration No.

☒ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34. 47,028 .

Eric M. Ringer
Signature

October 3, 2006
Date

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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required.

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